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REMARKS

The cited references relates to various forms of writing techniques.

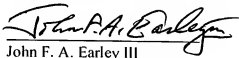
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